

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 7664

Bo LIU et al. ~

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Examiner M. Grendzynski

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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 24, 2002 in which election of species has been required, Applicants hereby elect species a. (claims 1, 3-5 and 15-18).

Favorable action on the merits is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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